



In re application of: Andry et al.

Serial No.: 10/706,842

Group Art Unit: 1772

Filed: November 12, 2003

Examiner: S.F. Hon

For:

TILTED VERTICAL ALIGNMENT OF LIQUID CRYSTALS EMPLOYING INORGANIC THIN FILM COMPOSITION AND ION BEAM TREATMENT

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
[] A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
[X] No additional fee is required.

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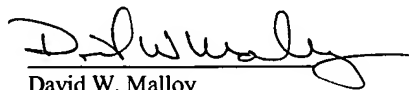
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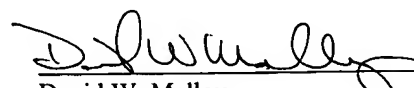
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RESPONSE

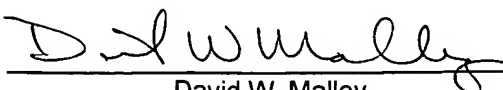
Sir:

This is a response to the Final Office Action dated April 12, 2006. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) has been filed herewith. Please consider the following amendments and remarks.

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